## **SECOND ANNUAL QUAHOGSPIEL - NOVEMBER 3, 2018**

## **RULES of PLAY**

All games will be played under Grand National Rules with the following additions and modifications:

- 1. All games will be six ends, subject to time constraints as described below.
- 2. Each game in Draw 1, 2, and 3 will be scored on a 'points' basis:

Game Win: 5 points Ends won: 1 point

Game Tie: 2.5 points Blank ends: 0.5 points per team Game Loss: 0 points Rocks won: 0.25 points per rock

- 3. Regardless of the number of ends played, the winning team receives 5 points for the win.
- 4. The five stone Free Guard Zone will be observed
- 5. If a substitute player is requested, a random drawing of an Ocean State Curling Club volunteer will take place. Substitutes shall play lead or, if two are required, lead and second.
- 6. 90 minutes are allocated for each draw. Please keep within this time frame. A time clock will be used by the spiel committee. A buzzer will sound at 1 hour 15 minutes after the start of the game indicating that the current end is the final end of the match.
- 7. Measurements will be made by Vice Skips. A Committee Member will be available to resolve conflicts concerning measurements and for rule interpretations.
- 8. Scorecards will be completed and signed by the Vice Skips, then presented to a committee member at the end of each match. Skips will post the 6<sup>th</sup> end. The committee member will post the score on the board.
- 9. In the event of a tie in total points, the tie will be resolved in favor of the team with the most wins. If still not resolved, then in favor of the team with the most ends. If still not resolved, then by a draw to the button by the skips (including sweeping).
- 10. Stick Delivery is permitted.
- 11. Late arrival for the first game: offending team will lose 1 end and 1 stone for each 10 minutes the game is delayed. At the end of forty minutes, the game will be forfeited and the winning team will receive 12.5 points. An OSCC volunteer team will be provided for game play while waiting.
- 12. No show team: Their predetermined opponents will each receive 12.5 points for their respective game. An OSCC volunteer team will be provided for game play.
- 13. Event Finals: Four event finals will be played in the fourth draw based on standings at the completion of the first three draws:

A Event: 1<sup>st</sup> place vs. 2<sup>nd</sup> place C Event: 5<sup>th</sup> place vs. 6<sup>th</sup> place B Event: 3<sup>rd</sup> place vs. 4<sup>th</sup> place D Event: 7<sup>th</sup> place vs. 8<sup>th</sup> place

## GOOD LUCK & GOOD CURLING!